

**Foxborough Commission on Disability**  
**Minutes of October 29, 2014**

**Members Present:**

Sue Collins, Andrea Parsons, Bill Casbarra, Charlie Hobbs, Margaret Chaisson and Cindy Curran

**Guest:** Pam McGuire, social worker at the Foxboro Senior Center, met with us at the Senior Center. She reviewed all of the services provided by the center, especially the transportation options available. She also stated that she is the coordinator of Linked Together, a group of overlapping agencies within the town that meets 4 times a year to discuss issues pertaining to Foxboro residents. The next meeting is in January and someone from the FCOD will plan on attending.

**Chapter 40: Section 22G:**

Bill said that he will keep the FCOD up-to-date each month on the status of HP fines.

**Payson Road Recreation Area:**

Sharon Wason was unable to attend the meeting so Bill provided an up-date on the project. Work has started at Payson Road and is right on schedule to be completed by early spring.

**Partners in Patriotism Fund (PIP):**

Margaret said that the PIP program is going live the first week of November. The PIP program is a fund set up by the Patriots/Robert Kraft that is available to any Foxboro Resident or non-profit organization. Anyone is welcome to apply for funds. The board reviews all applications and determines if funds will be allocated. People are able to apply on-line.

**Commuter Rail:**

Bill stated that within a year, the MBTA commuter rail is being proposed to come to Foxboro on a regular schedule. The station will be located at Gillette Stadium. If the service does come to Foxboro, Para-transit would have to be provided.

**Notes:**

-We will invite Lauren Bitar from the Citizens Corp to attend our next meeting.

**Minutes:**

A motion was made by Sue to accept the September Minutes, seconded by Bill. Motion passed.

**Adjourn:**

Motion to adjourn was made by Charlie, seconded by Margaret; motion passed.

**Next Meeting: Wednesday, November 19th @ 3:00 PM at the Boyden Library**

Respectfully submitted, Cindy Curran